With Cagliari, Italy, as the scenery, we welcomed the 16<sup>th</sup> edition of the International Conference on Applied Computing – AC 2019 (7 to 9 November, 2019).

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The 2019 edition received 147 submissions from more than 25 countries. Each submission was anonymously reviewed by an average of four independent reviewers, to ensure the final high standard of the accepted submissions. The final result was the approval of 26 full papers, which means that the acceptance rate was 18%. A few more papers have been accepted as short, reflection papers and posters/demonstrations.

Extended versions of the best papers were selected to be published in:

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Besides the presentation of papers, the 2019 event also included two keynote presentations by Dr. Virginia Pilloni, Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, University of Cagliari, Italy and Professor Luigi Atzori, Multimedia & Communication Lab (MC Lab) Head, University of Cagliari, Italy.

**Keynote Presentation:** 

"FORGET ABOUT THE BILL: IoT-BASED SOLUTIONS TOWARDS THE NET ZERO ENERGY BUILDING"

by Dr. Virginia Pilloni, Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, University of Cagliari, Italy

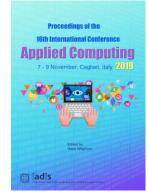
## **Keynote Presentation:**

## "MONITORING PEOPLE MOBILITY IN SMART CITIES: APPLICATIONS AND TECHNOLOGIES"

by Professor Luigi Atzori, Multimedia & Communication Lab (MC Lab) Head, University of Cagliari, Italy

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